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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.

23466

First Inventor

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Title

Method Providing Distribution Means for  
Reference Clocks Across Packetized Networks

Express Mail Label No.

EV 325934885 US

## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP Chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

## ADDRESS TO:

Mail Stop Patent Application  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 9]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)  
- Descriptive title of the invention  
- Cross Reference to Related Applications  
- Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D  
- Reference to sequence listing, a table  
or a computer program listing appendix  
- Background of the Invention  
- Brief Summary of the Invention  
- Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)  
- Detailed Description  
- Claim(s)  
- Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Pages 2]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 0]  
a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)  
b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for continuation/divisional with Box 16 completed)  
i. ☐ **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s)  
named in the prior application, see 37 CFR  
1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer  
Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)  
a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CFR)  
b. Specification Sequence Listing on:  
i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or  
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c. Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of  
(when there is an assignee) Attorney
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure ☐ Copies of IDS  
Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
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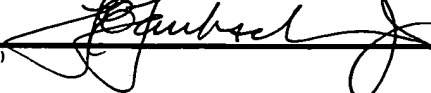
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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27		Complete If Known	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)		770	
Application Number			
Filing Date		February 18, 2004	
First Named Inventor		VAN DER VALK, Robertus	
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1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee			
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee			
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee			
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee			
SUBTOTAL (1)		(\$)		770			
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE							
Total Claims		10	20*	Extra Claims	0	X	Fee from below
Independent Claims		2	3**	Extra Claims	0	X	Fee from below
Multiple Dependent							
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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20			
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3			
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid			
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1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month			
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month			
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1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal			
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1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing			
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding			
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8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)			
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))			
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))			
1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)			
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application			
Other Fee (specify)							
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